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ew support gained pr power proposal

mportant developments d this week in the effort in a TVA-type electric program for Eastern Ken-nd the rest of the Appamountain area: ne Perry County Industrial pment Committee voted rse the idea and to wire nt Johnson, Governor tt, Undersecretary of Com-Franklin D. Roosevelt Jr. governor's special assis-hn Whisman, expressing dorsement.

he general manager of the al Rural Electric Associalyde T. Ellis, urged cref a public power system poverty in Appalachia. erry County group sent the hg wire to state and fed-icials:

of utmost importance that ster plan for Eastern Kene based on extensive deent of electric power pro-The industrial developcommittee of Perry County, neeting last night, directed to be earnestly requested to rious attention to this apto the natural resources, and potential of the re-Our committee offers to nywhere at any time and ny one to pursue further gently needed program." wire was signed by Charles nor Jr., chairman of the

spoke at the annual meet-the Northeast Resource De-nent Association, composed ural-electric co-operatives astern states.

id he did not know whether on copy of TVA would be st thing for Appalachia, said he did know that if ea is to be helped, the e-power resources, both lectric and steam, must

eloped. hided the Appalachian al Commission for its ap-timidity about consider-TVA-type approach in the ichian area.

to Undersecretary of Com-Franklin D. Roosevelt Jr., eads the commission, had uoted as denying plans for -type approach after a company executive

"warned federal officials that the very mention of TVA sends everybody's bristles up."
"I can inform Mr. Sweeney that it is only the bristles of the

power companies and the coal companies and their allies which rise at the mention of TVA,"
Ellis said. "Every public opinion
poll taken in the past few years
. . shows overwhelming popular support for TVA."

Ellis proposed that the Depart-ment of Agriculture create a new co-operative to undertake a wide range of programs for eliminating poverty in rural areas.

With modern transmission lines now available, cheap electric power from the Appalachian area could be transmitted easily to rural electric systems in the Northeast at costs far below what the co-ops now pay commercial companies for their wholesale power supply, Ellis said.

"There is a ready and expand-

ing market for all the power which can be developed in Appalachia--hydro-electric and coal, "he added. "This is the chief marketable respurce of the region -- and any development plan which ignores it will be totally unrealistic and ineffective. "

Cornett succumbs

Funeral services will be held at the Regular Baptist Church at Crown Friday for Charles Ray Cornett, 38. Elders Curtis Caudill, Ellis Banks and H. B. Reedy will officiate. Burial will be in

hthe Jim Brown cemetery at UZ.

Mr. Cornett died unexpectedly
about 8 p. m. Tuesday. His car
struck a parked truck on Whitco
road. Coroner Virginia Craft said injuries received in the accident were not sufficient to cause death, and added that she believed he suffered a heart attack before the accident occurred. He had been ill the week before, she said.

Mr. Cornett had been business

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Grants set for repairs on homes

Letcher County residents whose homes are in need of repairs can find help under a new federal program.

The government will make an outright gift of up to \$1,000 to families whose homes are in badneed of such things as new windows, a new roof, foundation repair, underpinning, a new water system, or in some unusual circumstances, an extra room or a bathroom.

The gifts of money for housing repairs will be made only to families without sufficient in-come to afford the repairs them-selves. Those who can afford to repay the funds will receive loans

instead of grants.

A federal representative will be in Whitesburg on Monday, Jan. 20, in the basement of the post office in the office of Mrs. Marjorie Gabbard, home demonstration agent.

The agent, R. C. Wells, is a representative of the Farmers Home Administration, which has area offices in Campton. Wells said he plans to be in Whitesburg every first and third Monday of each month.

Not every family will receive the full \$1,000, and the sum will vary according to need, Wells said.

To qualify for either a loan or a grant, the person applying must own his own home and must a-gree, insofar as possible, to do the repair work himself instead of hiring someone to do it for him. However, those not phys-ically able to do the work will not be required to do so but may hire help, Wells added. Wells said every effort is being

made to speed up the program, and that successful applicants can expect to have a check to finance their work within two or three weeks after the application is received.

The check, he added, in each instance willbe deposited in a local bank under a joint bank ac-(Continued on Page 12)

Make-work program set for unemployed

Workers in the Department of Economic Security offices here will begin taking applications Monday from unemployed fathers of needy children who want to qualify for subsistence benefits

under a new federal make-work program.

The Economic Security offices are located on Webb Avenue just around the corner from Main Street in Whitesburg. They are on the second floor of the building occupied also by the Cozy Corner restaurant.

The new program is a pilot project financed by the federal government as part of its emergency winter relief program to help needy Eastern Kentucky residents. It will be effective in seven counties--Breathitt, Floyd, Knott, Leslie, Letcher, Perry and Pike.

The federal government will spend \$1,000,000 to make the program operate for the next six months. After that, the state of Kentucky could continue the program by paying 20 per cent of the cost, with the rest to be financed by the federal govern-

A similar program has been used effectively in West Virginia. Basically, the new program adds a new category to public assistance through the aid-to-dependent-children program--that of aid to dependent children of unemployed parents. Hereto-fore a family has qualified for aid only if the father were disa-

bled or had deserted his family.

Under the new program, aid will be provided for the unemployed father or stepfather of a needy child when:

1. He has been without regular full-time employment for

90 days before the date of his application.2. He is not self-employed, is not eligible for unemploy-

ment insurance benefits, and is not drawing such benefits.

3. He is not physically unable to work and is currently registered with the State Employment Service as a work appli-

4. He has not refused to accept employment or suitable

training provided for him by the state agency.

The family must include a child or children under the age of 18 who are living with the parents and who attend school reg-ularly. The family must live within the county in which the program is in effect.

The men who qualify will be put to work on public projects. Counties must furnish funds for the projects, and the Depart-

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The war on poverty

Letcher County and the rest of Eastern Kentucky and the Appalachian area received state- and nation-wide attention this week as Governor Edward Breathitt and President Lyndon B. Johnson made major addresses to the state and nation.

Johnson declared that his administration will wage total war on poverty in America and singled out the Appalachian area as the target of a special effort in the war.

Breathitt pledged Kentucky's support of federal programs and

said he would recommend later plans, and measures to provide help, jobs and economic stimulation for Eastern Kentucky.

The text of both men's remarks is on Page Two.

Rev. Carter honored

he Rev. Charles Q. Carter, or of the Whitesburg Baptist rch, was honored this week Vhitesburg's Man of the Year 1963.

irter, who has lived in the only about four years, red at the annual Chamber of nmerce banquet Tuesday at Coffey House

was the fifth local citizen eceive the annual award. en by the Chamber of Comce on the basis of nominais by local service clubs. recipients have been Hern Hale, Fred Coffey, Archie ft and Dr. B. C. Bach. arter, a native of Georgia, graduate of Mercer Univer-

at Macon and of Southern tust Theological Seminary

ne citation presented to him ated out that "not only does ttack his work as a minister he gospel with enthusiasm, he also participates in and orts many worthwhile projects of the community,

Carter is secretary of the local airport board, a member of the local advisory board for the Whitesburg Hospital and has served on various committees of the Chamber of Commerce. He is involved in work with the youth of the community.
Under his leadership, the Bap-

tist Church has begun construction of a new church building on Madison Avenue.

The citation honoring Carter was read by Mrs. Ruth Rice, who wrote it and has written several of the citations for past men of

Dee Dawahare, retiring president of the chamber, introduced incoming officers: President Don Crosthwaite, Vice President Lewis Ammerman and Secretary-Treasurer Martin Dawahare.

About 40 persons, including members of the chamber and their wives, attended the dinner. Mrs. Rod Tate, accompanied

by Mrs. Rice, presented a vocal

Education solution to survival

Education is the solution not only to survival but to success itself, Dr. B. H. Jarman, president of Pikeville College, told members of the Whitesburg Chamber of Commerce here Tuesday night.

Dr. Jarman was the principal speaker at the chamber's annual Man of the Year" dinner at the Coffey House

Jarman said he had always thought of education as a means to make people happier and more productive until he went to Korea a few years ago to make a survey of the institutions of higher learning in Korea. There, he said, he discovered that education is the means of survival itself. He said education's job is not to make people happy, but to make them

"Who wants to be happy with poverty, disease and unemploy-ment?" he asked. "It is our job to examine our aims, aspirations and programs and realize that if we are going to survive, we have to do what our ancestors did. There is no bargain basement on freedom; the price is the same in 1964 as it was in 1776.

"As a nation, unless we know what we are fighting for, unless we are more concerned with good government than with golf, then obviously our country's future is in the past."
Education, Dr. Jarman said,

is the greatest single hope for a

people.
"It is something of the head and hands and heart. We must make people believe and make them feel.

He expressed concern about the lack of knowledge and understanding of one part of today's world about another. All over the world people want peace and employment and a chance for a decent living, he said, but Americans tend to build a little wall around themselves and wonder what the rest of the world is about.

He pointed out that every year the world population increases as much as the entire population of France and described one block in the Hong Kong of today where 100, 000 persons live in utter want. He said the greatest danger of war lies in overpopulation and the sec-ond greatest danger in the desire of the newly emerging countries which want immediately the material advantages America has

spent years attaining.
He classed communism a "poor third" as a war danger in comparison with the first two.

He listed the altruism of young people in countries throughout the world as a major hope for peace, and classed education as the

"greatest single hope for a people.
"Girded by the armor of truth, neither we nor our children need fear any enemy at home or a-broad, " Dr. Jarman said.

Turning to the problems of Eastern Kentucky, Jarman said resints of the a they can make the greatest use of their resources.

He said he was disturbed by the conclusions of a recent report by Resources for the Future which indicated the only solution for Eastern Kentucky is to move the people out.

"Japan could take any one of your little coves and make them productive, and so could Korea," he sai d.

With the overpopulation prob-lems of the world today and the depletion of natural resources, there is no place for Eastern Ken-

tuckians to go, he said. "You people know the land and the people can never be separat-ed. You must know how we have

abused our land. "When you exploit a land you exploit a people--you can't do one without the other."

We must stop thinking of ourselves as the only generation with any troubles, he said. Even if the problems are the greatest, the resources for solving them are also the greatest, he added.

Weapons too small

The many and grave problems of Eastern Kentucky and the Appalachian area were called to the attention of Congress and the nation this week by President Lyndon B. Johnson in his forceful State of the Union address.

"This Administration here and now declares unconditional war on poverty in America," said the President. Mr. Johnson then made it clear that Eastern Kentucky and the Appalachians are to be a major battlefield in this war.

We subscribe totally to the philosophy expressed by the President and are indeed grateful that he not only had the good sense to recognize that this is a nation—and Eastern Kentucky an area—with problems, but that he also had the courage to tell the nation about the problem.

But our gratitude and appreciation for President Johnson's action is accompanied by a feeling that while the President recognizes there is a war to be won, he may not yet have recognized the seriousness of the war and may not be arming his administration and the nation with sufficient weapons.

To be specific, a few hours after his message to Congress, the President told newsmen that his budget would contain a special appropriation of \$250,000,000 to start a special Appalachian Area Development Program, in the war against poverty.

At first glance, that seems like a fair amount of money. But

it takes very little ability at arithmetic to figure that the sum totals only about \$1,000,000 per county in the Appalachian This is enough money to build a couple of miles of road in each county, but no more.

One million dollars a year will not solve the problems of

Letcher County, or any other county in Eastern Kentucky or the Appalachian area. A 50 or a 100-year program at one million dollars a year might begin to have some effect, but the need is now, not next century.

The federal government now is pouring one million dollars a year into Letcher County in commodity foods to feed our hungry, and still another million for old-age assistance and child welfare. That extra million in the attack on poverty will be

lost in the totality and scope of the problem.

Actually, the lump sum of \$250,000,000, if used for a bold start on a TVA-type program which would use Appalachia's coal resources, could start the area on the road to prosperity

through a type of development program that ultimately could be both self-financing and sufficient to the needs of the area. We sadly fear, however, that President Johnson in formulating his Appalachian program has listened to the men of little courage in Frankfort and Washington who run in terror at the mention of public power and who instead of true development would give Eastern Kentucky another decade of planning and talking and use of a shotgun where a missile is needed.

By any other name

We are sure that every resident of Eastern Kentucky will be overjoyed to learn that the Kentucky Department of Commerce

has come up with what it regards as a sure method for keeping Eastern Kentucky from remaining a "depressed area."

The department's method is so simple we are really ashamed we did not think of it ourselves. Here's the secret: The Department of Commerce and the state Department of Public Information have agreed that no one in either agreence will be feet. ment of Commerce and the state Department of Public Information have agreed that no one in either agency will refer to Eastern Kentucky any more as a "depressed area." Instead, Commerce Department publications and news releases from the Department of Public Information will hereafter refer to Eastern Kentucky as a "development area." Apparently the two agencies think that if they don't call us depressed, then we won't be depressed.

Calling Eastern Kentucky a "development area" instead of a "depressed area" will do about as much to change the situation as calling an onion a rose would do to change the onion's odor.

Eastern Kentucky has had enough of such foolishness. We have suffered too long already because the rest of Kentucky has refused to recognize that our problems exist. Now, just when it looks as though someone in power may see us and at least try to help us, two official agencies of the state of Kentucky decide once more to pretend war which is in the state of Kentucky decide once more to pretend everything is rosy

Until the state lives up to its obligations to this third of its people and begins an effective program of help for them, the Department of Commerce and the Department of Public Information can pretend all they want to that what they smell in Eastern Kentucky is the perfume of roses, but another sniff will show them it is the stench of poverty, neglect and indif-

Fred Coffey

Wintesburg and Letcher County for the next couple of decades will sorely miss the quiet force and courage of Fred L. Coffey, distin uished citizen

Coffey had made Whitesburg his home for the past 11 years, and in that very short period of time he became a willing and invaluable worker for his community, his church, his county

and his beloved Eastern Kentucky.

No one not a member of the Whitesburg Municipal Housing
Commission can truly appreciate the thousands of hours of hard labor Fred Coffey put in in behalf of his new hometown as he shepherded the housing commission through its organization, and its efforts to secure a \$1,000,000 public housing program and a separate million-dollar urban renewal program. Coffey willingly spent an almost endless amount of time teaching himself about and handling the mousands of details required to make such programs a success. . . and a success the Whitesburg programs are, even though a start on construction has been delayed by a number of uncertainties, such as the route location for the new Whitesburg-Hazard road.

We talked with Coffey a few months ago after his initial heart attack and the warnings from his doctor to ease up and take life easier. He told us he knew he ought to resign from the commission and turn the housing and urban renewal programs over

to someone else.

"I can't quit now, Tom," he said. "We've got these programs almost ready to start building and if I dropped out it would just mean a delay of another year or so."

And so Fred kept working, not only for the two public improvement programs, but for a start on the Whitesburg-Hazard road, some action on the proposed state park--for im-provement in almost any field that would make Whitesburg and Letcher County better places.

The war on poverty

Here are the complete texts of the parts of Governor Edward Breathitt's state-of-the-state speech and President Lyndon B. Johnson's state-of-the-nation speech which pertain particularly to Eastern Kentucky and the Appalachian area:

PRESIDENT JOHNSON:

This budget—and this year's legislative program—are designed to help each and every American citizen fulfill his basic hopes:

His hopes for a fair chance

to make good; His hopes for fair play from

His hopes for a full-time job on full-time pay;

His hopes for a decent home for his family in a decent community;

His hopes for a good school for his children with good teachers:

And his hopes for security when faced with sickness, un-employment, or old age. Unfortunately many Ameri-cans live on the outskirts of

hope—some because of their poverty, some because of their color, and all too many because of both.

Our task is to help replace their despair with opportunity. This Administration here and now declares unconditional war on poverty in America. I ask this Congress and all Americans to join with me in

It will not be a short or easy struggle—no single weapon or strategy will suffice— but we shall not rest until that war is won.

Is National Problem

The richest nation on earth can afford to win it.

We cannot afford to lose it. \$1,000 invested in salvaging an unemployable youth today can return \$40,000 or more in his lifetime.

Poverty is a national problem, requiring improved na-tional organization and sup-port. But this attack, to be effective, must also be organized at the state and local level and supported by state and local efforts.

For the war against pover-ty will not be won in Washing-ton. It must be won in the field—in every private home and every public office, from the courthouse to the White

The program I shall pro-pose will emphasize this cooperative approach to help that one-fifth of all American families with incomes too small to meet their basic needs.

meet their basic needs.
Our chief weapons in a more pinpointed attack will be better schools, better health, better homes, better training, and better job opportunities to help more Americans—escape from causler and misery. squalor and misery.

Very often a lack of jobs and money is not the cause of poverty, but the symptom. The cause may lie deeper—in our failure to give our fellow citizens a fair chance to develop their own capacities—in a lack of education and training, a lack of medical care and housing. a lack of decent and housing, a lack of decent communities in which to live and bring up children.

Cites Appalachia

Whatever the cause, our joint federal-local effort must pursue poverty wherever it

In city slums and small

In sharecropper shacks, In migrant worker camps, And on Indian reservations, Among whites as well as Negroes,

Among the young as well as the aged, In boom towns and de-

pressed areas Our aim is not only to relieve the symptoms of poverty but to cure it—and, above all,

but to cure it—and, above all, to prevent it.

No single piece of legislation, however, will suffice:

We must launch a special effort in the chronically distressed areas of Appalachia.

We must expand our small but successful area redevelopment areas of the successful area redevelopment are program.

ment program.

must enact youth em-

ployment legislation to put jobless, a i m l e s s, hopeless youngsters to work on useful

projects.

We must distribute more food to the needy through a broader food-stamp program.

We must create a national service corps to help the economically handicapped of our own country as the Peace Corps helps those abroad. We must modernize our un-

employment insurance and es-tablish a high level commission on automation. If we have the brainpower to invent these machines, we have the brain-power to make certain they are a boon and not a bane to humanity.

Wants School Aid

We must extend the coverage of our minimum wage laws to more than 2,000,000 workers now lacking this basic protec-

tion of purchasing power. We must, by including spe-cial school aid funds as part of our education program, improve the quality of teaching, training, and counseling in our hardest-hit areas.

We must build more libraries in every area—and more hospitals and nursing homes under the Hill-Burton Act—and train more nurses to

We must provide hospital in-surance for our older citizens, financed by every worker and his employer under social security contributing no more than \$1 a month during the employee's working career to protect him in his old age in a dignified manner, without cost to the Traceury against cost to the Treasury, against the devastating burden of pro-longed or repeated illness.

We must, as part of a revised housing and urban renewal program, give more help to those displaced by slum clearance, provide more house ing for our poor and our elder-ly, and seek as our ultimate goal in our free enterprise system a decent home for every American family.

We must help obtain more modern mass transit within our communities as well as low-cost transportation between them.

Above all, we must release \$11,000,000,000 of tax reduction into the private spending stream to create new jobs and new markets in every area.

Not For Poor Alone

These programs are obviously not for the poor or underprivileged alone.

Every American family will benefit by the extension of social security to cover the hospital costs of their aged parents.

Every American community will benefit from the construction or modernization of schools, libraries, hospitals, and nursing homes—from the training of more nurses—and from the improvement of urban renewal and public tran-

And every American payer, corporate or individual, will benefit from the earliest possible passage of the pending tax bill—from both the new investment it will bring and the new jobs it will create.

GOVERNOR BREATHITT:

3. Atter the longest era of uninterrupted economic expansion in this nation's history, after a 25-year boom, one fifth of a nation is still ill-nourished, ill-clad, ill-housed, ill-cared for.

This is not the occasion fo a detailed discussion of the problem of poverty in all its complicated aspects. Nevertheless, it is a fact that geographical isolation is one of the potent causes of presistent the potent causes of persistent poverty, and that the Appalachian Region in particular is one of the tragic centers of unyielding poverty in the United States. Many of Kentucky's eastern counties lie

In these counties, thousand families are cold, hun jobless, seemingly condem to dreary life in an econo and social backwash.

Hope itself seems shred and frayed to these peop and their children are grow up—many of them—as a reration who have known the bread of welfare, whom the handout is a of life.

Poverty Kills Soul

For these Kentuckians, w are the equal of us all true potential, poverty is wo than poverty—it is an achi life-destroying emptiness where the coult kills the soul.

I wish that I could tell; that the problems of our palachian counties could solved by Kentucky's own tions and policies. But Appachia covers portions of states, and its problems requiregional solutions and regional solutions and the commercial solutions. regional solutions and sources beyond the comma of a single state.

Our late and beloved Predent Kennedy was deeply a serned with the problems a the opportunities of the peof of the Appalachian region. Area Redevelopment Progra the Accelerated Public Word Program, the food stamp pland above all the long-rapplans of the Roosevelt comission owe their inspiration to this leadership.

Thankfully, I can report you from personal conven-tions that President Lyndon Johnson is dedicated to co pleting the work and carry forward the plans of Pre dent Kennedy in this area.

Already, we have instituted a massive retraining prografor the unemployed in the palachian counties, and we confident that other fede programs, some of them a pilot level and some on large scale, will be annound in future weeks.

Long ago, however, I had concluded that it is not enough for Kentucky to stand, hat hand, waiting for federal in

In the first place, most f eral programs require st participation both financia and administratively.

Secondly, federal progra are responsive to initiative a leadership from the state lev

It was Kentucky's foresig which made it possible to tain, for the first time, Almoney for highway construction

It was Kentucky's progre sive system of vocational ed cation which made it possil for us to obtain a \$9,000,0 allocation for retraining employed Kentuckians.

It was Kentucky's influer and prodding which paved way for the creation of Roosevelt commission. In budget message, and in other parts of the commission of messages, I shall recomme to you plans and measures provide help, jobs, and a nomic stimulation for the A palachian counties of Easte Kentucky

Current comment

It is horrible irony that the of the prophet. "Every mount and hill shall be brought low. conceived as "preparing the soft the Lord" to "make his past straight, " should now describe the workings of a wilful, selfst juggernaut that scrapes a coun off the map, leaving holes wh there were homes, scars in pla of beauty.

-- from an editorial condemnia strip mining in "Mountain Life and Work," Winter, 1963.

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were home visiting friends and relatives over the holidays. W. R. Collier visited Mr. and

Mrs. Sherman Barker and family

Mr. and Mrs. Don Walker vis-

Mr. and Mrs. Don Walker visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Walker, Monday. His sister, Mary, went back with them to spend a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Osborne visited Mrs. Ora Buckley and daughter over the holidays.

Darrell Burton visited Sharon Terry Monday. With him was Ronnie Cornett, son of Mr. and

Mrs. Gay Cornett of Partridge.
Patsy Terry was visiting Mr.
and Mrs. C. B. Blair Tuesday.
Miss Merissa Terry is spending

a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sumpter. Larry Collier of Pound visited

Money spent at home

will remain at home

his sister over the holidays. She is Mrs. Mabel Mullins of Oven

Monday.

umberland River OGGS-LEWIS WEDDING ANNOUNCED

SHARON TERRY

veryone in our community exids sympathy to the Sanford
ams family. Nobody will ever
like him. He was a very nice
in and did a lot for us at Eolia. wedding bells rang out Saturday r Miss Molly Mae Boggs and ul Edd Lewis. They were mared by Elder J. D. Maggard.

be bride is a daughter of Mr. d Mrs. Coy Boggs of Oven Fork d teaches at Eolia School, Mr. wis is a son of Mr. and Mrs. ose who attended the ceremony ore Mr. and Mrs. Roger Collier, r. and Mrs. Kermit Lewis, Mr/d Mrs. Coy Boggs, Mr. and rs. Palmer Boggs, Randy Scott d Rudy Ison.

or Rudy Ison.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Maggard have truned home after visiting their ildren in North Carolina and

Ars. Fred Terry is very ill this

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sumpter d most of their children home Christmas dinner. They were: and Mrs. Fred Terry and mily, Mr. and Mrs. Lineul mpter and family, Mr. and mrs. Lineul mpter and family, Mr. and rs. Edward Sumpter and family of Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan rke of Lexington. The Burkes ent the holidays visiting relives and Mrs. David Eiglde vises.

Ar. and Mrs. David Fields vis-d Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Walker d family Monday. Mrs. Fields d Mrs. Walker are sisters. The eldess also ate dinner with the lkers.

Elder J. D. Maggard attended nurch at Rollers Chapel in Virnia Sunday. He is moderator the church.

Mrs. Opal Estep was in Whitesing shopping Monday.
Mrs. D. W. Sumpter visited
rs. Martha Jenkins Saturday.
rs. Jenkins, a patient at Val-View Community Hospital Benham, is improving slow-

loyce Hampton spent a week at ome visiting relatives, and lends. She is employed at the ome of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie air. Mr. Blair has been ill for me time.

Mrs. Harold Raleigh and little n Harold Ray have returned ome after visiting in Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Don Hatfield had inner with Mr. and Mrs. Fred

erry Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Maggard

ave returned to Bowling Green
fter visiting with parents and
heir friends here.

Church services were held at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar
aggard Sunday

aggard Sunday. Funeral services were held at aple Grove church at Eolia for Ily Sturgill, brother of Fitz-ugh Sturgill.
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Collier are lanning to move to Michigan

Mrs. Charlie Blair of Lexington Mrs. Charlie Blair of Lexington as been visiting her mother and smily here over the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Boggs had inner with Mr. and Mrs. Vincent oggs and family Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sturgill sited Oscar Maggard Sunday. J. D. Maggard visited Mr. and Irs. Joe Roberts, Mrs. Martha ankins and Jim Jenkins Sunday. Kins and Jim Jenkins Sunda Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sturgill had Il their family home over the hristmas holidays. Sherman Edward Barker, Bobby be Barker and Charles Meese

ARD OF THANKS

The family of Sanford Adams ould like to acknowledge with ateful appreciation the kind spressions of sympathy by those iends and neighbors who sent ood, flowers and cards with omforting thoughts. Special thanks are expressed the Moore and Craft Funeral

ome and the ministers for their onsoling words during our grief or the loss of our father and hus-

All expressions of sympathy are ceply appreciated and will al-ays be remem bered by this fam-y.

ETHA ADAMS, PAT and WINT EPEW JR., RONALD SANFORD NO MICHAEL KAY

McRoberts MRS. HOWELL HOME

By FLORA SCOTT

Our community was saddened last week by the fatal shooting of Elwood Champion, whose bo-dy was found at Pine Mountain Junction.

He leaves his wife and four children. His mother was bed-fast at his home. He will be missed in the community.

Mrs. Bernice Howell is home after heing a patient in the Jen-kins hospital for a few days. Lee Sparks is a patient in the

Whitesburg Hospital.
All of the young folk home for the holidays from different colleges have returned to their

Tuesday night is PTA night at the Upper School.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scott spent the week end with her parents at London.

Mrs. Hargis Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dann visited in Jackson last week. The Danns have returned to Florida, where there is no snow.

Hemphill MRS. BURKS VISITING MOTHER HERE

By SARAH ADAMS

The Jim Quillens, formerly of Hemphill, have purchased a new home with an acre of land in Taylor, Mich.

Mrs. Sarah Burks is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Ben Potter, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Quillen Jr. of Seco were visiting friends

in Whitesburg Saturday night.

Mrs. Tommy Pass is home after being in the Harlan Hospital.

She is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rudd have bought a new home in Dayton, Ohio. Mr. Rudd is having some trouble with his wrist and may have to undergo surgery. He is employed at McCall's Magazine.

We are enjoying a nice basket of fruit we received from Mr. and Mrs. Zeke Smith of Florida this week.

Mrs. John Fields and son Jack drove to Alabama this week to

Monday from the Whitesburg. Mrs. Mary Tolliver came home Hospital, where she was a patient for several days.

see her sister-in-law, who is ill.
She will return home with them.
Mrs. Cindy Sparks, Mr. and
Mrs. Bruce Hall and Mr. and
Mrs. Harold Dean Sparks of Deane spent Christmas Eve with Uncle John Bentley.

A week before Christmas Mr.

and Mrs. Bill Collins of Deane were visiting their daughter and her husbamd, Mr. and Mrs. Har-

ry D. Holder of Greenville, Tenn.
Ronnie Vanover and Reed Kiser
of Deane went to Washington, D.
C., this week to look for employment. They got jobs as construction workers and went to work immediately.
Miss Theresa Anderson is stay-

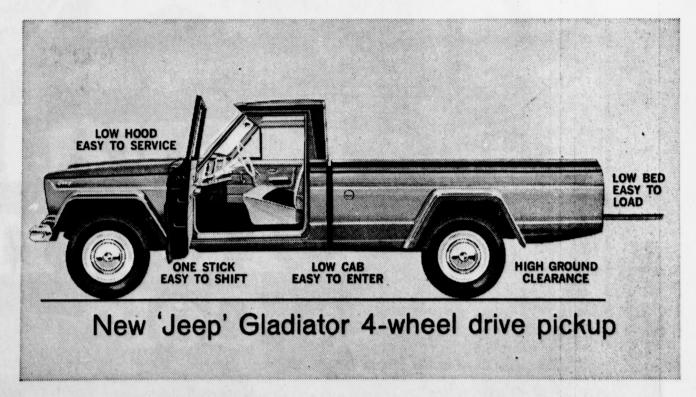
ing with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Fox. She will attend school here. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ulis Anderson, have returned to their home in

Elyria, Ohio. Sp/4 James Seals of Fort Campbell is home on furlough this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Seals. His wife will return to camp with him. (Continued on Page 5)

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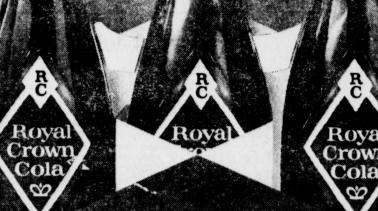
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Year's Eve Mr. and Mrs. y Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Jim-tep, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Re-Ar. and Mrs. Donnie Man-Mr. and Mrs. Granville Sam Clinton Webb and sally Fugate all went on a riding party up on Kentucky Talk about a winter wonnd! It was up there that -- the wind was blowing, the d was a white blanket of and the snow was flying d a big fire and hot coffee ad a big fire and not contect andwiches, and it was an en-le evening for us all. Sun-vening Loren Bentley and Stanley and Terry and a d Danny Craft, the Dagnans, steps, the Cpnley Webbs and Clinton went back and enanother ride.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richie Davidson took his children, Ronnie and Cheri, back home after they spent

the holidays with them. The children live in Knoxville, Tenn. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gooch and children had Sunday dinner with his parents, Judge and Mrs. J. B. Gooch. Their son, Mark, will celebrate his fifth birthday

The Conley Webbs had a rook party Saturday night. Mrs. Sherman Wright got a call from her son Howard last week. He told her his wife Glenna became sick Christmas Day and had been in the hospital with pneumonia. The doctors say she is past the crisis and will get to come home soon. Glenna is a daughter of Bud Fleenor of Mc-Roberts.

My son Jimmy became ill on New Year's Day with an attack of asthma and had to be taken to the doctor, but we caught it before it got too bad.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wright had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Sher-

man Wright Sunday.
The John Butlers have named t their new daughter Patricia Lynn. She is their first child.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stines are the parents of a new daughter, their second.

Our sympathy goes to the family of Bill Stevens of Haymond, who died this week. He is a brother of Mrs. Luther Johnson of Goose Creek. The funeral was at the First Church of God in Neon at 2 p. m. Sunday. Elder Clyde Kelly and Charles Gallion of the Freewill Baptist Church preached. He was buried at Green Acres Cemetery, Whitesburg. Sorry to hear Aunt Essie Quillen

has been sick for about two weeks. Friday the Fleming-Neon grade school second grade will have a doll party.

Mrs. Janie Gallion, who has been secretary at the Fleming-Neon High School for four years, has resigned to take a job with the Jenkins Library. Mrs. Sharon Riddle Mohn has taken the job to the remainder of the year at the

Mrs. Leonard Cockrell of Creek has been ill at Whi Memorial Hospital.

Little seven-month-old Mich. i Ray William, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray William of Neon, has been in the hospital at Whitesburg for a week. He had an ear, throat and intestinal infection. His fever went to 105 and he had to be in ice for three days, but he is better and at home now. Michael has a twin sister.

Most of you will remember
Fairbanks Mullins, who lived here
for many years on Hemphill Road,
His son, Reggie Mullins, has been
in Neon visiting and tells us he has
become a preacher. He preached
for four months at Hazard and is on his way now to preach at Indianapolis.

Clyde Davis took Mr. and Mrs. Jess Stines and two daughters to Elizabethton, Tenn., to the funeral of Mr. Stines' mother, who

died at the age of 96.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Alley of Oak Ridge, Tenn., brought Mrs. Alley's mother, Mrs. Wilburn Hall, back home after she visited them and her other children over the holidays. The Al-leys visited Mrs. Alley's sister, Mrs. Eugene Hayes, and her husband at Fleming while theynwere here.

Mrs. Clyde Davis has been sick

this week. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Polly entertained with a party Saturday night honoring Mrs. Polly's father on his birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ora Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Richie Davidson and Ronnie and Cheri and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kincer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Polly visited the Glenn Pollys at Jenkins on Sunday.

The children's choir sang at the First Church of God Sunday. Our sympathy goes to the fam-

ily of Luther Stacy of Covington, who died. He was a brother of Mrs. Sylvan Holbrook of Cromo-na. They will bring his body to her home and have the funeral there; he will be buried at the Bill Holbrook cemetery at Tollivertown

Farl Griffee, who has been in labama with his sister, Audry Marcum, has returned to his home in Neon.

Mrs. Lola Griffee has married Paul Ackerminer from California and has been home visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. John Freelate husband's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Griffee. The Acketminers are making heir home in Califor nia.

Congratulations are in order for Miss Carol Sizemore and Melvin

Hall, were married just before

Christmas.
Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence there, Ernest Frazier and son Larry of Detroit, and Carl Frazier of Bristol, Va., and a sister, Mrs. Dewey Bishop, and her husband, of Elizabethton, Tenn. The Bishops are former residents of Fleming. Mark Frazier, father of Mrs. Anderson, who makes his home with her, has been in

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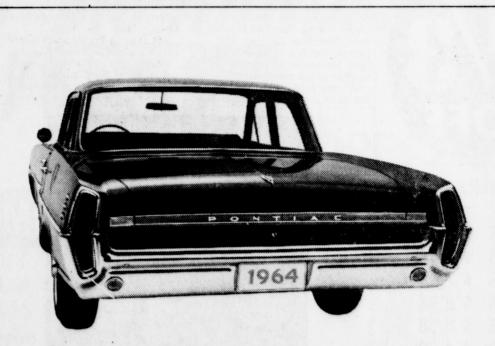
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Colson ICE HAS TO BE BLASTED OUT OF ROAD SO TRAFFIC CAN MOVE

By MABEL KISER

Colson residents, along with the rest of us, have had their share of ice and snow. Up near Brad Neace's residence the ice became so bad it was necessary to blast it out of the road '

Mrs. Ora Mason is expecting her soldier son Ralph Thomas home with a discharge from the Army. He has been stationed at Fort Knox.

Miss Joyce Ann Nease, student at Spencerian Business College in Louisville, returned to her studies Monday morning after spending the holidays with her parents, the Ballard Neases.

Okra Sexton is still very sick. Among students returning to Lees Junior College after the holidays were Bruce Sextoh, Charlotte Breeding, Linda Garrett, Retha Mason, Sandy Sexton nd Phillip Caudill. Paul Mason is in Michigan on

a buying trip. Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson are home after spending two or three weeks in Lexington with

friends and relatives.

Mrs. Paul Mason and children,
Belinda and Nicky, were week
end guests in the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Doug Adkins, Fleming.
Mrs. Mason is the former Barbara Bentley od Millstone.

Mrs. George (Rachel) Collins is ill and confined to her bed.

Mrs. Della Maxie is still very ill. She will return to Pikeville Hospital Tuesday after being home with her family for some

Mrs. Nancy Cook is home from Lexington, where she underwemt surgery for removal of a goiter at Good Samaritan Hospital. Mrs. Cook is doing just fine. Her sister, Mrs. Hubert Mason, kept her children, Linda Rose and Wendell Lewis, while their mother was in Lewis, while their mother was in the hospital. A brother, John D. Bates of Indiana, accompanied Mrs. Cook home and visited relativesand friends in Colson.

Mrs. Hattie Profitt and Mr. and Mrs. Roy BeTcher attended church on Beefhide hear Dorton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Caudill are very ill at the home of their daughter in Tiffin, Ohio.

Mrs. Wayne Dixon of Blackey, Dale Caudill of Sadnlick and Delmar Caudill of Whitesburg have just return ed from a visit to Ohio to see their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Collins and children Ricky and Alice and Mr.

and Mrs. Leonard Collins spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Dave L. Craft, Mayking.

Last week end the Logan Collinses and their children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cook, at Elizabethton, Tenn.

Cook, at Elizabethton, Tenn.
Saturuay night guest of Brenda
Sue Collins was Carol Ann Neace.
Sunday night Ava Dean Adams
of Whitesburg was a guest of
Glenna Jean Collins.
Holiday guests of Mrs. Pebble
Craft and Larry were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs.
Charles Blair and Sherry and
Chucky, all of Batesville, Ind.,
and Eddie Craft, also of Indiana.
After a visit with Mrs, Craft,
Mrs. Blair and children accom-Mrs. Blair and children accompanied her parents-in-law, the

panied her parents-in-law, the Arlie Blairs, to Florida for a visit with her soldier brother, Ronnie Craft, and his family.

Mrs. Pebble Craft and Barbara Amburgey were recent dinner guests of Mrs. Craft's sister, Mrs. Ed Sturgill, and Mr. Sturgill at Haymond. Haymond.

Emmitt Kiser and Kermit Amburgey were in Jeffersonville, Ind., on business last week.
While there they visited Mr. Kiser's spn. A. C., who had just
moved into the new home he has

Mrs. Glenn Clay spent Christ-mas woth her sister, Mrs. John R. Neace, and her mother, Mrs. George M. Adams. They were all glad to have Mrs. Neace home after she had spent so much time in the hospital last summer. She is doing fine now.

James R. Clay is back to work after suffering an attack of ma-laria and a bad cold.

Miss Nannie Lou Sergent has been off from work this week ill with flu.

Jimmy Colin Taulby is in from Texas for a visit with his parents, the John Taulbys.

Mrs. Maggie Bowen was shop-ping in Whitesburg Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Belcher were in Pikeville shopping recently. They were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Tommy Burkes,

Dorton. Mrs. Maude Richardson and daughter Ruby attended Mayking church Sunday.

Betty Jo Taylor is ill with mea-

Mrs. Hattie Profitt spent Christ-mas with relatives on Millstone.

Miss Fay Taylor accompanied her mother, Mrs. Bertha Vance, to Hazard to have a check-up on the broken arm she received

several weeks ago. Soon the heavy cast will be removed and a lighter one put on.
Mrs. Bill Hanklin of Peebles, Ohio, called her mother, Mrs.
J. L. Maggard, on Christmas
Day to tell her she and her hus-Day to tell her sne and her husband and son Randy were spending Christmas in St. Augustine, Fla. On the way back to Ohio they stopped in Georgia and spent a night with Ball's brother Johnnie and his family.

Another call to Mrs. Maggard was founded to granden Pat.

was from her grandson Pat, a barber in Louisville.

Mrs. Clyde Polly is in Mt. Mary Hospital at Hazard and is expecting to undergo surgery for stomach ulcers.
Alvin Caudill and Mrs. Nancy Collins called on Mrs. Bud Tol-

liver Monday morning.
Whe two-month-old son of the

Melvin Williamses, Isom, died on Christmas Day.
Mr. and Mrs. Denver Collins

and son Marty spent Sunday afternoon with Aunt Sally Maggard in Whitesburg. Mrs. Maggard has been bedfast with arthritis for the past 28 years. She is still very cheerful and in fair health.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Caudill and daughter Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Maggard spent Friday after-noon with the Charlie Caudills, Kingdom Come.

Mrs. Elvin Caudill and her mother, Mrs. J. R. Maggard, recent-ly visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Col-lins of Isom. The Collinses are in (Continued on Page 11) Dunham PVT. JURICH **RETURNS TO** ARMY CAMP

By MRS. EMMETT GIBSON

Pfc. Stephen Jurich has returned to his camp after spending a 20-day furlough with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Mullins

of Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn
Hall Jr. and son of Dorton spent
Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ray
W. Mullins and sons. Mr. and
Mrs. Larry Phil Mullins and children spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Burchett and

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mullins.
Mrs. Willie Mullins and Linda returned home Sunday after spending a week with Christine and Peggy Mullins in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Earl Haynes (Punky) is improving after a long illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Mullins had as their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lowe and son, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Bentley and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Fonzo Mullins of

Dorton, Mrs. Joyce Johnson and daughters of Virgie, Mrs. Linda Caldwell, Mrs. Ruth Gibson and Mrs. Frank Johnson and daugh-

ter.
Jack Bates and son of Florida, and Russell and Roger Adkins were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Arnett last week.

Mrs. Artha Adkins has been ill.
Mrs. Curtis Mullins is a patient
in the Jenkins Clinic Hospital.

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rs. Ted Parten have n a vacation in Georrisited their parents s and friends in &tlan-Athens and in the and central part of artwell had almost of snow while they Georgia, normally , is not equipped for traffic came to a il the sun melted the

Spears and a friend, enjoyed dinner with Halls Christmas Day in Neon.

sucker has been apqualified as adminhe estate of W. Byron deceased. Anyone laims, against said present them, pronce at Sergent, Ken-e February 10, 1964.

NSUCKER, ix of the estate of insucker, deceased Mr. and Mrs. Bob Breeding of Belleville, Mich., visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy Paul Collins during the Christmas holidays. Mr. Breeding is principal of the elementary school at Belleville.

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met Thursday night at the church. Mrs. Billy Paul Collins, who had charge of the program, presented a skit on missionary work. She was assisted by Mrs. Logan Collins and Mrs. Leroy Fields. Mrs. Albert Jones gave the devotional on "A Recipe for Happiness." The Dorothy Reese Circle served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Richardson and daughter, Vicky Ann, visited Mrs. Richardson's sister, Mrs. Lincoln Breeding, in Orlando, Fla., over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. August Codispoti

have returned from Richmond, Va., where they spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Herman Daniels, and her family.

Mrs. Nellie Moore is spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Sheila Wainscott, in Lex-

Among those from out of town to attend the funeral of Sanford Adams were Dr. James Cawood, Harlan; John Ellis, Harlan; C. V. Snapp, Pikeville; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Salling, Frankfort; Mr. and Mrs. Louie Martin; Hiram and Mrs. Louis Martin; Hiram Taylor, Louisville; Millard Tolliver, Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Potter, Lynch; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Sparks, Jenkins; Roy Eversole, Hazard; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shepherd, Lynch; Judy, Bobby and Jeanette Adams, all of Cincinnati; Mrs. Lake Neece of Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Havnes. Hazard; Miss Lisa bert Haynes, Hazard; Miss Lisa Shepherd; Mrs. Nell Shepherd and Mrs. John Brown, Cumberland; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Maggard, Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. Leland Ramey, Roger Ramey, Mr. and Mrs. Gullion Gross, Bradley Sumpter, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Barger, all of Cumberland;

Millstone WINTER'S ICY HAND HOLDS RIGHT, LEFT FORKS IN ITS GRIP

By MABEL KISER

Millstoners, especially those of us on the right and left forks of Millstone Creek, have been in the grip of winter's icy hand. The temperature has not dropped too love but the energy and ice. too low, but the snow and ice, oh! Can anyone explain why the river froze so much harder this winter than last although last winter had much colder temperatures?

Friends of Willie Taylor will be glad to know he is much improved from his recent heart attack and is able to be up and about at his home in Winchester,

Sailor Emery Ables will leave Friday for his base in Japan after a visit at Kona with his foster parents, the Curt Collinses. His mother died when he was quite small and he has made his home with the Collinses since he was 12 or 13. He has spent every Christmas with them since he went to live with them.

Roy Mason of Cleveland called his mother, Mrs. Maggie Mason, saying they had plenty of snow in Cleveland. Roy, whp drives a truck for a construction compansaid he had hauled snow for 15 hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Profitt Jr. and children, Connie Jp and Cinda, of Cleveland, have been visiting the Joe Profitts Sr., Grandma Polly and Silas Caudill of Southdown.

Dave Collier drove to Pikeville on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Beam, Bardstown; Mr. and Mrs. Volly Stidham, Big Stone Gap; Mrs. Ethel Ramey, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones, Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Montgomery, Royalton: Tolbert Montgomery, Royalton; Mrs. Opal Bentley, Pound; Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Maggard, Louisville; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Trosper, Bristol; Ted Cook, Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Haynes, Hazard; Mrs. Myrtle Bentley.

Mrs. Jesse Wright tells us her nephew, Ward, young son of the Denny Picklesimers, is in New

York for surgery.

Jesse and Darrel Wright drove
to Morehead Sunday afternoon to
take daughter Pharon and nephew

Gary Neil Meade back to college.

Mrs. Nathan Wright, 75, is very ill in Jenkins Clinic, where she is being treated for a broken hip.

Mrs. Maggie Caudill, almost 94, of Haymond, is very ill. She lives with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John-

nie Tolliver. Mrs. Margaret Maggard, a stu-dent at Morehead College, was in for a visit with her parents, the Johnny Tollivers.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Collins entertained several guests at a spaghetti supper last week. The guests were Miss Martha Jane Potter, Kona; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Holbrook, Emery Ables, Miss Susie Meade, Ronnie Collins of Jenkins, E. C. Potter and grand-

daughter Beth Jordan of Jenkins. Sammy Kiser was home from Lees Junior College for a visit with his parents, the Vernon Ki-

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boyd and son Paul have returned to Lawrenceburg after spending the holidays with her parents, the J. S. Hol-

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Varney of West Virginia were hosue guests of the S. T. Wrights this week. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wright have been sick with colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Rpy Wright and twin daughters, Amelia and Cecilia, of Jenkins were guests of the Dave Colliers Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Holbrook and Mrs. Curtis Collins drobe to Pippapass Sunday for a visit to Alice Lloyd College.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collier of Beaver visited Roy's father, E. I. Collier, and sister Myrtle after attending Elizabeth Church Sun-

Elder Charles Wright was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Felix

Sexton Sunday. Elder Wright has recovered from the severe burns he received about a year ago

from burning gasoline. Walden Cuddy and Bobby Gene Stamper of Cleveland were visiting relatives and friends on Millstone this week.

Mrs. Guy Holbrook (Ogelene) of Haymond is seriously ill in

the hospital at Pikeville.

Mrs. Charles Martin (Jeanette) of Chillicothe, Ohio, called her mother, Mrs. Eunice Meade, this week to say she and her family were doing fine.

Mrs. Eunice Meade and Mrs..

Opal Hall were calling on the

Dock Wehns of Mayking. Other visitors in the Webb home included Mr. Webb;s sister, Mrs. Lydia Polly. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Weller of

Pineville called at the home of her sister and brother-in-law. the J. S. Holbrooks, this week to inform they were leaving for Tulsa, Okla,, to make their home. Mrs. Weller is the for-mer Leona Potter McAuley of

Millstone Homemakers met at the home of Mrs. Vernon Kiser late in December for their Christmas party. Among those present were Mrs. Charlotte Newsome, Mrs. Maggie Richardson, Mrs. Edna Taykor, Mrs. Grace Madison and Mrs. Robert Newsome.

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the Whitesburg Hospital for three

The Andersons' daughter, Mrs. Avery Johnson of Ermine, and her husband were visiting them over

John A. Smith, who drives a cab in Neon, has been sick for two weeks. He lives in Fleming.

Our sympathy goes to the family of Will Anderson, who had a fatal heart attack on the porch of the Haymond fountain Monday.

Fire destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hall of Neon. He is the only brother of Sheriff Lewis



Wed. -Fri. Jan. 8-10

Feature may be seen at 8:45

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and "SANGAREE"

Jan. 11 SATURDAY

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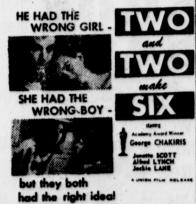
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and



Misses Sheila and Shsie Banks had a New Year's Eve party with

30 people present.
Marion Meade of Fleming is
still ill and is not doing too well.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Sisk

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Sisk have been away for three months visiting their children. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Darrel B. Sisk, Blaine and Marlena of Kirkwood, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. George W. Sisk, Kim and Tony of Nashville, Tenn.; Dr. and Mrs. Charles W. Sisk, Chuck and Alice of Danville, and Miss Phyllis Sisk of Lexington. The Sisks also visited other friends and relatives while they were away. They returned to their home in Fleming Saturday.

day.

Mrs. Alice Tilley and her triplets visited her mother-in-law
in West Virginia over the holidays. They returned to their home in Fleming this week.
We hope Bennett Sexton will

to come home from the hospital over the holidays but had to go back for a few days. He is home again, this time we hope for good. He suffered a heart attack some

time ago.

Mrs. Irene May went to visit her daughter, Pattie Lee May, of Middletown over the holidays.

Middletown over the holidays.
She had a good time but came
home with a bad cold.
Miss Etta Wright of Fleming
visited her nephew, Milton Brown,
and his family in Norfolk, Va.
Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Youngblood
of Neon had company from Norfolk. They were Gertrude Horton
and Arbena Wright, sisters of Mrs.
Youngblood.

CHARLES PITTS JR. FAMILY VISITS HERE; DUANE YONTS FAMILY HOLIDAY VISITORS

By JEANETTE DAY

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pitts Jr. and son Eddie of Kingsport, Tenn. visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pitts, during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Duane Yonts and

boys from Greenville, Tenn., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edison Caudill, during the holi-

days.
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rayburn of Goshen, Ohio, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Banks, during the holidays.
Also home for Christmas with their parents were Donald Banks, Joe Brown and Gay Caudill from Columbus, Ind.

Columbus, Ind. Edison Caudill has been very

ill with flu but is feeling much

Aunt Etta Banks has been ill

Jewell Banks, daughter of Bert Banks, and Bobby Ray Day, son of Sarah Day, were married on Dec. 19 at Clintwood, Va. The bridegroom has returned to Fort Bragg, N. C., where he is stationed. Mrs. Day will join him

Sylvia Sturgill and children, Chuck and Kathy, of Fairborn, Ohio, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Banks, this

Mattie Vern and Matthew Eldridge are the parents of a new daughter, born Dec. 28. They named the baby Delpha Rena.

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can prevent forest fires

Residually to the baby Delpha Relia.

Alice Day has been very ill at her home but is feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mullins and children and Betty Sue Mullins of Columbus, Ind., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert York, for Christmas.

The twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Wid Page, Shelia and Sherry, celebrated their first birthday Dec. 22.

Eloise Boggs, formerly of Cow-an, and Cliffon Trout of Smoot Creek, were married Saturday, Dec. 21.

Mrs. Flora Caudill of Columbus, Ind., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Maggard,

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Pikeville, Kentucky

To My Many, Many Friends--EVERYWHERE:

Christmas--1963--has been the most rewarding I have ever known.

Your expression of the true Christmas spirit as reflected by your many Christmas cards, greetings, and kind words, humble me before Almighty God and my fellow man.

Your prayers and kindnesses are ever needed and welcome.

--1964--looks like another big year.

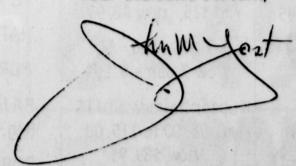
One of our greatest blessings and assets in this mountain area is Pikeville College, a school of Christian Education. Pikeville now has as its president Dr. Burnice H. Jarman, a Dynamic, Christian Gentleman.

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Your dedicated servant,



CCA HOLBROOK VISITS PARENTS OVER HOLIDAYS; BENJIE FRANKLINS VISIT FROM LOUISVILLE

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a student of pursing at

ha Holbrook became king Church and was ne Whitesburg Hospital was found to be sufferigh blood pressure. , Holbrook and Rebecests of the Kenneth Christmas dinner. d sympathy to the Gus Pigman, who died Ohio. His first wife,

everal years ago, was sin of my father, and Mrs. Millard Collins He was a brother igman of Whitesburg. lests of Sol and Eunice Christmas Day were rs. Junior Taylor and rrows, Cleveland. Mrs. Willard Profitt er Teresa of Flint, ne down for a weekith his parents, the , and her parents, the udills of Jenkins. ors in the Profitt home daughters, Mrs. Her-and Mrs. Jimmy veland, along with ds and families. The a new baby.

We may think the winter has been very rough, but there has been a noticeable lack of water. The almost solid wall of ice across the road from the Thornton postoffice is absent this year. There are some icicles but not nearly so many as in former years. Unless there is a lot of rain this spring, the drought will be much greater in the fall of 1964 than it was in 1963.

Recent visitors calling on the Ben Franklins were Elder Lewis

Craft and son, Johnny, Hazard, Mr. and Mrs, Benjie Franklin of Louisville were visiting relatives and friends on Millstone over the holidays. This was the first time they had been back to Letcher County since their mar-riage last fall. They had dinner mage last fall. They had dinner with Grandma and Grandpa Ben Franklin on Christmas. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Felix Sexton and son, Alvin, home from the Marines on leave, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Franklin, Lela, Jesse and Roger; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sexton and two children, Jenkins; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hampton, Paul Jr. and Felicia; Oscar Yanez and girls. Calling on the Franklins in the afternoon was Mrs. Maggle Mason.

I thank each of you for the lovely Christmas cards I received. I received them from Melbourne, Fla., to Detroit, Mich., and Los Angeles to Baltimore. I ap-

preciated them very much.

Donnie Gale Sexton, former jockey, decided he did not like being a jockey after all, so after spending the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. Willie Sexton of Mayking, he left for Florida, where he will work in a supermarket.

There was considerable excitement in the home of Oscar and Sara Ellen Franklin Yanez the other day. Their two preschool daughters, Judy and Jody, ate almost a whole box of aspirin. They rushed the girls to the hospital, where their stomachs were pumped, and they came back home two wiser and very scared little girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Franklin op-

erate a small grocery store. Last week Mrs. Franklin was not feeling well, so after dinner she lay down and had a nap. When she awoke a strange little boy came in and wanted some candy. Still only half awake, she told Mr. Franklin to get him some. She asked, "Who are you, little boy?"

He told her she would know in just a minute, and then the boy's father walked into the room. He was the Franklins' son Jesse, from Lorain, Ohio, He and his family had come down for a surprise visit, and the strange little boy was

grandson Donnie. Christmas visitors in the Lloyd Meade home were their only daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Green, Sherry and Mark, and son James and his new wife Pat, all of Cincinnati. Mr. and Mrs. James Meade also visited his parents, the Martin

Kincers Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Meade drove to Hindman for a visit with her father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Ezekiel Bentley. They also visited her brother, Roy, who has been ill for some time.

Fine gifts for Christmas for the Sherd Martins were calls from their daughters, Leatrice Reedy in Indiana, and Gretta Bennett

in Idaho.

Mr. abd Mrs. Sherdie Martin
of Louisville were calling on rel-

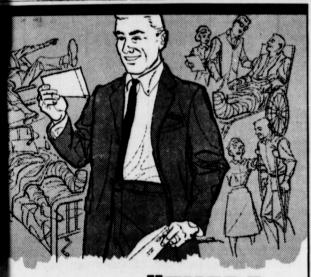
arives and friends on Millstone

over the week end.

My children, Mr. and Mrs. Bob
Bentley of Cleveland were here this week end with Ronald, Jean-ie and Jessica. My two grand-children from Bristol also were here. It is very seldom that I have all five of my grandchildren home, so I enjoyed them very much. Jeanie had for a pet a little white mouse, which I believe the children enjoyed better than any of their Christmas toys.

Marine Corps seeking three-year enlistees

sgt. William B. Cleland, local recruiter for the Marine Corps, said today the corps has a limited number of three-year enlistments available now. Persons interested may contact him at the post office building here on Tuesday afternoon or may phone 633-2293.



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NOTICE OF ELECTION

A RESOLUTION OF LETCHER COUNTY FISCAL COURT

WHEREAS the Board of Education of the Jenkins Independent School District of Jenkins, Kentucky, on the 2nd day of January, 1964, filed with the Fiscal Court of Letcher County, Kentucky, a request that said Fiscal Court submit to the qualified voters of Jenkins Independent School Dis-trict the question as to whether or not an additional school tax rate not exceeding \$1,00 per \$100.00 of taxable property shall be authorized to be levied in said District each year in addition to bistrict each year in addition to the school tax levy authorized by KRS 160, 475, all as authorized by KRS 157, 440; and WHEREAS the latter statute is mandatory and the Fiscal Court, when requested by the Board of

Education, is compelled without the exercise of any discretion to submit the question to the qualified voters of said school district;

NOW, THEREFORE ON MOTION DULY MADE, SECONDED AND CARRIED, IT IS ORDERED BY THE FISCAL COURT OF LETCHER COUNTY, KENTUCKY, AS FOL-LOWS:

Section 1. There shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the Jenkins Independent School District at a Special Election on Saturday, February 1, 1964, the question of whether or not an ad-ditional school tax of not exceeding \$1.00 upon each \$100.00 of property subject to local taxation within the said school district shall be authorized to be levied each year in addition to the present statutory limit of \$1.50 provided for under Kentucky Revised Statutes 160.475, the proceeds of said school tax to be used for general

school purposes.
Section 2. Said election shall be conducted and carried out in said school district in all respects as required by the General Elec-

tion laws. Section 3. The sheriff of Letcher County is directed to cause a Notice of said election to be published prior thereto in three conlished prior thereto in three con-secutive weekly issues of the Mountain Eagle, a newspaper published in Whitesburg, Ken-tucky, and having general cir-culation in Letcher County, and by printed handbills posted at not less than three (3) conspic-uous places in each voting pre-cinct within the Jenkins Indepen-dent School District for not less dent School District for not less

dent School District for not less than fifteen (15) days immediately before the day of said election. Section 4. The question to be printed upon the ballots shall be substantially as follows:

"Are you for or against levying in the Jenkins Independent School District each year a tax not exceeding \$1.00 on each \$100.00 of property subject to school taxation in said district, in addition ation in said district, in addition to the maximum tax rate of \$1,50 provided for under Kentucky Revised Statutes, Section 160, 475, the proceeds therefrom to be used

for general school purposes?
FOR () AGAINST ()
Section 5. The County Court
Clerk shall certify to the propose election officers the above quoted question which will be submitted to the voters at said e-lection. After the election the County Clerk shall obtain and preserve at least three (3) specimen copies of the form used in submitting said question to the voters.

Section 6. If a majority of those voting upon the question so submitted approve of same, such additional school tax rate not exceeding \$1.00 per \$100.00 of property shall be authorized to be levied at the request of said Board of Education upon all property in said Jenkins Independent School District subject to taxation for school purposes, the proceeds therefrom to be used by said Board of Education for general school purposes. Such tax shall be in addition to the school levy auth-

orized by KRS 160.475.
Section 7. This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption by the Fiscal Court.

Blair Branch ISHMAEL DIXON DIES

By NORA ELDRIDGE

Ishmael Dixon of Carcassonne suffered a fatal heart attack at his home Thursday morning and was buried Saturday, Jan. 4. Lee Adams is ill at his home.

Several people in our community are ill with flu and colds.

Mrs. Clarinda Back and son
Jimmy have returned from a twoweek stay in Indiana, where they
went to spend the holidays with
Mrs. Back's two daughters.

Mre. Farl Day is still confined

Mrs. Earl Day is still confined to her home with her leg in a

Mrs. Tommy Jent had her arm in a cast at church Sunday. She had the misfortune to fall and

break it.
Mrs. Polly W. Bentley was able to go to church through the week end.

Mrs. Susan Fields of Waynesburg, Mrs. Lee Fields and Mary Caudill of Pratt Branch and Mrs. Lillie Blair ofBlair Branch visited Mrs. Earl Day.

Miss Linda Caudill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sella Caudill, has been very ill at the home of her parents.

Hemphill . . . (from Page 3)

Aunt Carrie Reynolds is in the Norton Hospital and is being treated for leukemia. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright of Little Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Conley Webb of Neon were visiting her this

Mr. and Mrs. Willard McCrae and daughter of Washington state are here visiting his stepmother,

Mrs. Ben McCrae of Little Creek. Willard is a member of the Armed Forces and when he leaves here he will go with his family

to Hawaii.
A taxi cab driven by Sherman Rose was hit from the rear by a truck as he was letting his pass-engers, Mrs. Coy Miller and her daughter, Mrs. Robert Hall, get out of the cab in Hemphill. All were taken to the hospital in Jen-kins, where Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Hall were checked and released, but Mr. Rose remained in the hospital. The extent of his injuries is not known.

BERT BACH NAMED TO ASSISTANT PROFESSORSHIP

Bert C. Bach, son of Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Bach of Whitesburg, has recently been promoted from the rank of instructor to that of assistant professor of English at Manhattan College, New York City. Mr. Bach had formerly taught at West Georgia College

and has been on the Manhattan faculty for the past three years. He received the bachelor of

arts degree from Eastern State College in 1958 and the master of arts degree from George Pea-body College, Nashville, Tenn., in 1959. He is at present writ-

ing a dissertation to co requirements for the de doctor of philosophy in at New York University Mr. and Mrs. Bach a son, Bert Jr., live at a erland Avenue, New Y

1963 Sales Tax Deductibility Table

(For Use in Filing 1963 Kentucky Individual Income Tax Return, Revenue Form 740)

	otal Income	Single	Family Size				
in Is	Item 11 But Under	Person	2 Persons	3 Persons	4 Persons	5 Persons	6 o
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\$ 1,000	\$ 1,500	22	30	34	38	40	
\$ 1,500	\$ 2,000	30	40	42	46	48	
\$ 2,000	\$ 2,500	38	48	52	54	58	
\$ 2,500	\$ 3,000	44	56	60	64	68	
\$ 3,000	\$ 3,500	52	62	68	72	78	
\$ 3,500	\$ 4,000	58	70	76	80	86	
\$ 4,000	\$ 4.500	64	76	84	88	94	
\$ 4,500	\$ 5,000	70	82	90	94	100	
\$ 5,000	\$ 5,500	74	90	96	100	108	
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\$ 6,000	\$ 6,500	86	102	108	112	120	
\$ 6,500	\$ 7,000	90	106	114	118	124	
\$ 7,000	\$ 7,500	96	112	120	124	130	
\$ 7,500	\$ 8,000	100	116	124	130	134	
\$ 8,000	\$ 8,500	104	120	130	134	140	
\$ 8,500	\$ 9,000	108	124	134	138	144	
\$ 9,000	\$ 9,500	112	130	138	144	150	
\$ 9,500	\$10,000	116	134	144	148	154	
\$10,000	\$11,000	120	138	150	154	160	
\$11,000	\$12,000	128	146	156	160	168	
\$12,000	\$13.000	132	152	162	166	174	
\$13,000	\$14,000	136	156	168	172	180	
\$14,000	\$15,000	142	160	172	176	184	
\$15,000	\$16,000	146	164	176	180	188	
\$16,000	\$17,000	148	168	180	184	190	
\$17,000	\$18,000	152	172	184	188	194	
\$18,000	\$19,000	154	174	186	190	196	
\$19,000	\$20,000	156	176	188	192	198	

TABLE LISTS the Kentucky sales tax deductions which the taxpayer may on his Federal and State income tax returns for 1963. Every Kentucky re who itemizes deductions for the calendar year 1963 or the fiscal year beginn or after July 1, 1962 may use the table. If the standard \$500 deduction is on the State income tax, no sales tax deduction will be allowed. If the table used and the sales tax is deducted, an itemized list of sales tax payments accompany the tax return.



The car on top is a 1964 Dodge-330 two-door sedan. It has a unitized, rust-protected body, front seat belts, an alternator electrical system, self-adjusting brakes and a 225 cubic inch, six-cylinder engine. It will go 32,000 miles between major grease jobs, 4,000 miles between oil changes.

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eral rites held for Monroe Combs. ran of Bataan death march

Baptist Church Wednes-ames Monroe Combs, Rev. Charles Carter ofand burial was in Green emetery, Whitesburg. erans of Foreign Wars ed military rites at the

ombs died Sunday morn-s home in West Whites-parently of a heart atis death was unexpected. e of Letcher County, he of the late James and zier Combs. He was a of Whitesburg High nd attended Morehead llege.

He was taken prisoner in the Bataan death march in the Philippin es during World War II and remained a prisoner of war for 34 months. Seriously injured, he received the Purple Heart.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs.

Ruby Maggard Combs; a son, James Mannon Combs; six sisters, Mrs. Lora Fields, Whitesburg; Mrs. Dora Day, London; Mrs. Mary Mills, Lexington; Mrs. Bonnie Craft, Middletown, Ky.; and Mrs. Euna Farmer and Mrs. Rets Scholar, both of Horking. Beta Scholar, both of Hopkins-

Moore and Craft Funeral Home handled funeral arrangements.

rison Adams dies at home at Van

ervices will be con-10 a. m. Friday, Jan. ttle Colly Regular Bapch for Harrison Adams, Elders I. D. Back, Rex Isom nd Boyd ns, Rex Isom nd Boyo ill officiate. Burial the family cemetery ms died Tuesday after

ear illness. son of the late Benja-Malissa Cook Adams. g are his wife, Mrs. Tyree Adams; nine Albert, Edgar, Earl,

Harrison Jr., Mrs. Elma Collins and Mrs. Emma Lou Boggs, all of Indiana; Mrs. Malissa Racine and Mrs. Susan Copeland, both of Michigan, and Jeketowanna, of Michigan, and Jeketowanna, at home; three sisters, Mrs. Sarah Gilliam, Virginia; Mrs. Frances Collins, Van, and Mrs. Ollie Gilliam, Tennessee; and three brothers, John P. Adams, Southdown; Jake Adams, Pine Mountain, and Henry Adams, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Moore and Craft Funeral Home had charge of funeral arrange.

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Report of condition of HE BANK OF WHITESBURG hitesburg in the State of Kentucky e close of business on Dec. 20, 1963

ASSETS

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drafts)	3, 860, 306, 35
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and fixtures \$50, 595, 01	93, 477, 73
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LIABILITIES	

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	LIABI	LITIES		
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TAL LIABILITIES

\$9, 556, 129, 41

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TAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	815, 148, 76
TAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL	
COUNTS	\$10, 271, 278, 17

MEMORANDA

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bills rediscounted and securities sold	
h agreement to repurchase)	944, 000, 00
Loans as shown are after deduction of	
valuation reserves of	21, 853, 99

an Hale, Executive Vice President of the above-named o solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct--Attest: HERMAN HALE

Paul J. Vermillion)
Stephen Combs Jr.) Directors R. D. Collins

Kentucky, County of Letcher, ss: to and subscribed before me this 30th day of December, Id I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director

nk. mission expires May 16, 1965. ANN C. HOLBROOK, Notary Public

Robert Blair, health officer at Grayson, succumbs to attack

Funeral services were to be held today at the chapel of Moore and Craft Funeral Home for Robert

Blair Sr., 69, of Grayson, who died unexpectedly of a heart attack at his home Tuesday,
Mr. Blair, a native of Letcher County, was health officer of Carter County. He joined the health department there in 1954 as a sanitarian after working for several years as sanitarian with the Letcher County Health Department.

He was a son of the late Robert and Rachel Fairchild Blair. He taught school in Letcher County and served as a deputy sheriff under Sheriff Herman Combs.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ida Adams Blair; two sons, Edgar Blair of Dayton, Ohio, and Wil-liam Blair of Grayson; a brother, Sam C. Blair, Whitesburg, and a sister. Mrs. Sarah Evans, Ash-

Charles Ray Cornett (from Page 1)

manager of Whitesburg Memor-

ial Hospital since it opened.

He was a graduate of Whitesburg High School and Bowling

Creen Business University and taught school at Cynthiana. He was a veteran of World War II. Survivors are his parents, Char-lie and Pearlie Brown Cornett, of Crown; a son, Michael Lance Cornett, Lexington; two brothers, Paul Cornett, Chillicothe, Ohio, and James Douglas Cornett, at

Jean Bishop, ·Burkesville. The Veterans of Foreign Wars conducted graveside services.

home, and a sister, Mrs. Nellie

Isaac Hensley dies in Indiana

Funeral services were held today at Tilly for Isaac Hensley, 56, who died unexpectedly of a heart attack at his home, in Sunman, Ind., Monday.
Elders Ray Collins, I. D. Back and Bill Sparks officiated. Burial was in the family cemetery

at Isom.

Mr. Hensley, a retired miner, was a former resident of Letcher County. He was a son of the late survivors are his wife, Mrs. Pebble Collins Hensley, and four children.

Fruit Cocktail Cake easy winter dessert

For an easy winter dessert, try Fruit Cocktail Cake.

This recipe comes from Mrs. Elsie Tucker and Mrs. Sam Quil-len, who served it at a meeting of the Neon Homemakers Club

this week.
FRUIT COCKTAIL CAKE Mix by hand or spoon: 2 eggs

2 cups plain flour
1 #303 can fruit cocktail
(pour all of fruit cocktail into batter) 1 1/2 cups sugar

1 teaspoon soda Mix all ingredients together with a spoon. Then pour into ungreased pan 10 x 12. Bake at

300 degrees F. for 45 minutes. Pour over cake while hot the following icing: 1 stick margarine

cup, sugar 1/2 cup cream 1 teaspoon vanilla 1 small can coconut

1/2 cup chopped nuts
Mix together and bring to a
boil. Boil for about five minutes. Pour over hot Fruit Cock-

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Southdown ROBERT JONESES VISIT HIS MOTHER: JOHN ADAMSES' SON VISITS THEM

By MABEL KISER

Bells rang out in the schoolrooms on Southdown againafter the children had all had a long vacation for the Christmas holidays. School was to have open-ed again last Thursday, but was delayed until Monday because of bad weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones of Lexington were recent visitors in the home of his mother, Mrs. Oscar Jones, Southdown postmistress. Mr. Jones is employed by the US Veterans Administration hospotal

in Lexington.

Bruce Adams was down from Columbus, Ohio, for a visit with the John Adamses.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Combs and Ronnie recently visited their daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Johnson of Haymond.

A very welcome visitor in the Leonard Kiser home recently was Mrs. Kiser's niece Tammy. Just under a year old, Tammy is an enjoyable companion.

Mr. and Mrs. Lundy Addington had their son Ronald up from

Louisville for a visit recently.
A nephew, Charles Addington,
will leave Louisville for work on

Monday. Mrs. Oscar Jones tells us she nad a very enjoyable dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sturgill. Sunday dinner guests of Mrs.

Jones were the Rev. Donald Ber-netre and son of Pikeville. Mr. and Mrs, Chester Baker and family were visiting his mother, Mrs. Coetta Baker, Millstone, on Christmas Day. Other guests in the Baker home were Mr. and Mrs. Wenford Sturgili of Mayking and Mr. and Mrs. Can

S/Sgt. George Stidham of Flo-rida has been home for a few days with his parents, the John Stid-hams. George left Monday for Fort Knox, where he expects to

receive a discharge, and will be home to stay in a few days. We are proud to report Aunt Su-san Combs, who will be 100 in April, is in fair health and able to be out and about. Aunt Su-san received a telephone call

from her son, Nick Combs, in Holiday visitors of the Perl

Combses were Mr, and Mrs. William Pennington of Whitco.
Visitosr in the home of the Malcolm Harts were Mrs. Reba Nell Hart and Carlos Hart. Carlos returned to his work in Alexandria, Va., but Reba will stay here.

Mrs. Peri Combs joined the Regular Baptist Church and will be baptised the third Sunday in January if she is able to go to

Colson (fr. P. 8)

their late 80's and in fair health. Mrs. Clyde Sexton is doing fair after surgery in Lexington.

Miss Kathy Hall, 12, entertained many of her young friends with a birthday party Sunday afternoon. Among those attending were Misses Faye and Juanita Taylor, Erenda and Glenda Collins, Carroll Ann Nease and Michael Collins Kathy is the daughter of the Date Caudills and the granddaughter of the Willard Halls. Sandwich-es, soft drinks and ice cream and cake were served to about 30 of Kathy's friends.

Report of condition of THE FIRST SECURITY BANK of Whitesburg in the State of Kentucky at the close of business on Dec. 20, 1963

ASSETS

1.	Cash, balances with other banks, and cash		000 000 10
_	items in process of collection	2	327, 866, 16
2.	United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,	027, 705.00
3.	Obligations of States and political subdi-		
	visions		48, 970, 75
6.	Loans and discounts (including \$18, 32		
	overdrafts)	1.	245, 000, 14
7.	Bank premises owned \$85, 190, 38, furniture		
	and fixtures \$19, 669, 82		104, 860, 20
11.	Other assets		1, 186, 93
12.	TOTAL ASSETS	\$2,	755, 589. 18

LIABILITIES

13.	Demand deposits of individuals, partner- ships, and corporations	839, 045, 09
14.	Time and savings deposits of individuals,	
	partnerships and corporations	1, 173, 998. 89
15.	Deposits of United States Government	
110	(including postal savings)	15, 296, 95
16.	Deposits of states and political subdivisions	358, 013, 23
18.	Certified and officers' checks, etc.	2, 974, 65
19.	TOTAL DEPOSITS \$2, 389, 328, 81	
7.	(a) Total demand deposits \$1, 089, 704. 92	
	(b) Total time and savings	
	deposits \$1, 299, 623, 89	
23.	Other liabilities	1, 207. 10
24.	TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$2, 390, 535, 91

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

25.	Capital: (a) Common stock, total par val \$100,000.00; No. of Shares 1,000	ue 100, 000, 00
	\$100, 000. 00; 140. Of Shares 1, 000	
26.	Surplus	100, 000, 00
27.	Undivided profits	165, 053, 27
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29.	TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	365, 053, 27
30.	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL	
	ACCOUNTS	\$2,755,589,18

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure lia-bilities and for other purposes (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold with agreement to repurchase) 340, 000.00

I, Kenneth B. Gooch, Assistant Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief. Correct -- Attest: KENNETH B. GOOCH

JAMES M. CAUDILL DEXTER DIXON Directors J. S. HOLBROOK

State of Kentucky, County of Letcher ss: Swom to and subscribed before me this 6th day of January, 1964, and I hereby certify that I am not an offi cer or director My commission expires Oct. 3, 1967. WANDA H. HOGG, Notary Public

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count on behalf of the applicant and the FHA. The applicant will be required to obtain estimates from local building suppliers or contractors on the cost of the repairs, and these estimates will be checked by the FHA. Bills and invoices will be paid prompt-ly out of the joint FHA-applicant bank account.
Wells said that the home of

each applicant will be visited by an FHA representative and that every effort will be made to see that repairs are selected which will best fit the needs of an individual family.

He said his agency recognized that needs vary from household and farnily to family, so that the agency tries to keep its program flexible enough to fit individual

Some families, he said, may need no more than some rolls of new roofing material, and if so that is all they will receive.

On the other hand, Wells said, his agency knows there are some families in the county with bedbound individuals, and some of these have no bathrooms or other indoor plumbing. Every effort will be made, he said, to help such families obtain proper in-door toilet and bathing facilities so that the invalid could be properly cared for.

In some other possible examples cited by Wells, he said his agency probably would look with favor upon a proposal to construct an extra room for large families with six or eight children now cooped up in two- or three-room houses.

A great emphasis will be placed also, Wells said, upon the con-struction of safe, sanitary, outdoor privies as a replacement for the many shacks stuck out over the creeks and rivers of Eastern

The new program is a part of the winter relief program an-nounced by the late President Kennedy a few weeks before his death. The program, designed specifically to help the helpless of Eastern Kentucky, is being continued under the sponsorship of President Johnson.

There is a major question as to how much money will be available for the pprogram. Wells said that so far his agency has a total of \$1,000,000 available with the expectation of another \$1,000,000.

There have been some indications in Washington that once applications are received and the scope of the need is known, the funds may be increased.

Trial of Rowe gets under way in circuit court

The trial of Edwin Dearl Rowe on a charge of murder was under way in Letcher Circuit Court this

Wednesday and Thursday were taken up with obtaining a jury, and testimony was expected to begin on Friday.

Rowe is charged with the fatal shooting of Sam Bates of Whitesburg at Blair Lake last July.

More than 80 persons were called for jury duty before both sides could agree on 12 persons to serve.

Commonwealth's Attorney Emmett G. Fields and Atty. Harry M. Caudill are representing the prosecution, and Attys. F. Byrd Hogg and John Cornett are representing the defense.

This term of Letcher Circuit

Court is the first for Mrs. Marjorie Adams as circuit clerk. Mrs. Adams, who was elected last November, took office on Monday to succeed W. L. Stallard Ir.

Because of the courthouse con-Because of the courthouse con-struction project, court is being held in the Whitesburg City Hall. The grand jury is hearing wit-nesses in an office in the same Main Street building as the of-fice of the circuit clerk. The grand jury recessed Wednesday until Monday. Sam C. Blair is serving as foreman.

Letcher residents may get home loans

A major new loan program which provides low interest, 33year loans for Letcher County families who desire to build new homes was announced this week.

The Farmers Home Administration said it will lend up to \$13,000 or \$14,000 at 4-per-cent interest for periods of up to 33 years to persons of good credit standing who otherwise have been unable to obtain a new home construction loan on acceptable terms.

Lots or the farmland on which the house is to be located will be figured in as part of the down payment. This means in effect that any employed person in Letcher County, who owns a tract of land and has a good credit re-cord, can now qualify for a home building loan.

The rule of thumb is that home loans will be made for residences of up to 1400 square feet, not counting such things as a carport, with a maximum of about \$14, -

However, the loan program is flexible and larger loans for lar-ger homes will be made to families with a large number of children.

This same housing program also is available for new home construction for elderly persons, pro-vided a son or a daughter is willing to be a co-signer on a note for the loan.

Details of the new home construction program were explained by Jesse Johnson, regional administrator for the Farmers Home Administration. Johnson said his agency has made 33 such loans in

the Campton area recently.

The one restriction on the loans is that they are part of a federal rural housing program. This program is restricted to rural areas and to towns of less than 2, 500 population. Since Jenkins has 3, 000 persons, residents of Jenkins would not qualify for the loans. Any-other Letcher County resident, including those in Whitesburg, could qualify.

The Farmers Home Administration will maintain regular office hours in Whitesburg twice a month to discuss the housing program and to accept applications for new home construction.

The office will be in the basement of the Whitesburg post of-fice, in the offices of Mrs. Marjorie Gabbard, home demonstra-tion agent. A representative of the FHA will be in Mrs. Gab-bard's office the first and third Mondays of each month at 10 a.

The representative, R. C. Wells will be in Mrs. Gabbard's office on Monday, January 20, to ex-plain both the new home construction loans and the temporary winter relief program which makes available loans or gifts of

up to \$1,000 for needy families.

Mrs. Gabbard said she has available through her office numerous plans prepared by architects of new homes which would
meet the Fammers Home Administration standards for construc-

tion. She said these plans are available free, or at a slight charge in some instances. Blueprints, she added, usually are available for 25 cents a sheet. Mrs. Gabbard said her office

also is prepared to provide plan-ning advice and help for persons interested in remodeling or enlarging their homes.

Johnson said he realized the FHA new home construction program is new to this area of Kentucky, and said his agency very much would like to speed up construction of a half dozen new homes, scattered about the county, under the program, so that persons throughout Letcher could become acquainted with the pro-

The Farmers Home Administration Housing program does not compete with banks or savings and loan associations and will not make loans to persons who can obtain construction loans on satisfactory terms from the private lending institutions, Johnson added. It is designed for those people with steady incomes and good credit records who, even so, cannot obtain satisfactory home. cannot obtain satisfactory home building loans elsewhere, Johnson

Here are some sample house plans which would qualify for FHA loans:

THE MOUNTAIN EAGLE . . . WHITESBURG, LETCHER COUNTY. KENTUCKY . . . THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 1964 . . . PA Make-work program (from Page 1)

ment of Economic Security will supply the labor free.

Letcher County Judge James M. Caudill said he hopes to be able to use such workers here to help clear brush from rights of way on county roads and from streams and to help grade rural roads. Caudill said many country roads are in bad condition, hazardous to school buses and other vehicles, but the country cannot afford to hire necessary workmen to repair the County cannot afford to nire necessary working to repair the The county does have crews, working now, who could supervise the labor available under the new program, Caudill sai He added that the Department of Economic Security has a ployed three or four extra workers to handle the flood of applications expected from able-bodied unemployed men here.

JENKINS SCORES 11TH WIN OF SEASON IN CLOSE CONTEST WITH WHITESBURG

The Whitesburg Yellowjackets almost pulled the upset of the year in their game against Jen-kins Tuesday night, but their ef-forts failed as four Whitesburg players fouled out of the game in the last quarter.

The big "green wave" looked like a small tide at the end of the first quarter as the Jackets were leading 22-13. The bigboys from Jenkins could not get their shooting and ballhandling going right, and the Jackets took a 34-27 halftime lead.

When the second half started the Jackets took a 13-point lead but were getting into foul trou-ble as Frazier hit the bench with five fouls. Adams, who had 22 points and led the scoring, went out on fouls in the fourth quarter Hall, Nease and Jones followed later in the last quarter and Jen-kins shut off the lead and went ahead in the scoring column to win 63-53.

Jones and Nease played one of their best games as rebounding and defense made the higgest difference. Ty Hall did a job

of stopping Greer and Muli of Jenkins.

Jenkins trailed the ballga except for the last four min but as the Jackets' front wa fouled out, the Cavaliers the lead. Jenkins is still to feated and will go to Lexit to take on the big city boy. The victory over Whitesh was Jenkins' 12th straight whis cases?

this season.

Last Friday Jenkins defeat Leslie County 84-64. Jern ley, with 27 points, was the ing scorer for the Cavalier. kins made 63.4 per cent of throws attempted and 49.9 cent of field goals.

Fleming wins nime

The Fleming-Neon Pirates to Salyersville to take their victory with a score of 83-The Pirates had no trouble

the Hornets of Salyersville, The scoring column was Jesse Phillips with 26 point lis Tolliver with 12, Jesse 20, Leslie Hall, 10, Jim!

9 and Burrows 2. The Pirates' next foe is to low jackets of Whitesburg.

Eagles take Redsk

The Letcher Eagles came fighting for their lives in or time against the Cumberlar Redskins to take a 67-59 vi

The Redskins had Letcher at the end of the first period the Eagles closed the gap. on in the second quarter C land took a 17-ppint lead, of the finer factors of the was the fine defense that h Cumberland's Mike Garidin 19 points.
The game was tied up at

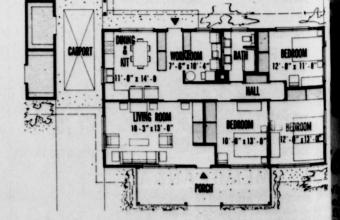
of the regular playing pend the score 53-53. But the b Eagles came back with 14 to 6 to take a grand victory

All Letcher players scored 16, Cupp 13, Fields 9, Tal Breeding 3, Isom 10, Adam Letcher has a record of su and nine losses.

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These house plans prepared for the United States Department of Agriculture are among those which would be acceptable by the Farmers Home Administration under its new home construction loan program now available to Letcher County residents.

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